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## CALIFORNIA.

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REMEMBER :

The place—San Francisco
The time—July 19-24, 1915,
The meeting—The N. A. D. Convention.

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Come and experience our greatest charm "warm-hearted hospitality," with no "keep off the grass" to mar it.

Although unmindful of the precept about vainglory, I find myself every day shaking hands with myself anew, for living here in California.

Now, my dear friends :—Seeing is believing, believing is understanding, with understanding anything is possible.

The Great Fair at San Francisco, which opened on February 20th, amid the greatest acclaim, is now a live leviathian with a scream.

It has broken all past similar records, all to smithereens, in regard to admissions, etc., etc.

Now, the 1915 Local Committee of the N. A. D., at San Francisco, is also out to eclipse all past records. Three hundred and forty-one new members for the N A.D. $1,117 91 already raised.

Come to California and renew your faith in the worth whileness of existence. Come and behold wonders beyond the concept of imagination.

Towards you, one and all, California advances "with hand extended," in cordial greeting.

"Something doing all the time from July 19th to 24th !" might well be the slogan of the 1915 Local Committee of the N. A. D. of Frisco. There is already a program mapped out for every day of that time.

Not a dull moment !

Remember "July 22d," the momentous day of the N. A. D. Convention.

There will never again be as many incentives as we are now offering you to come to California.

The days of low railway rates will have gone by probably never to come back again, after 1915, so the railway lines say.

The N .A. D. Convention at Frisco, by itself, should be enough to draw you out here. You want to meet Mr. Williams, "Our Human Dynamo," a suave, tactful and experienced man of the world with a buoyant and enthusiastic spirit and immense energy, an inspiration to his co-workers and a constant stimulus to all jaded spirits.

Then Mr. Howson, through whose most tireless efforts, the N. A. D. membership roll shows 341 more new members, all secured from California within a year's time—that is the "California spirit." He is a live wire to the tips of his fingers, a most fitting help to Mr. Williams.

Next comes Mr. Runde, whose vitality and energy are tremendous and his dominant personality carries all before it. A man of great natural endowments.

These three epitomize the well known "Spirit of San Francisco."

May your joy be as great at being among us as our joy is great at the privilege granted us to be among you.

This state long has pressed its claim to possess equal if not greater charm than those of European countries.

Here you will find the treble charm of city, mountain and ocean, no other place in the world offers so plentiful a portion of benefits and pleasures as California.

You will find yourselves well repaid in every way for your long journey.

Join us in a season of joyousness.

There is only one California and it is in your own country. Come and get acquainted with it.

Because we have added 341 members to the roster of the N. A. D, don't you think your coming to California in a body would be a most fitting way to show your appreciation ?

"We have linked the West to the East,
We have merged the two in one,
And the fleets of the world, their sails have furled
In the Harbor of the Sun."

Not content with staying at home and doing nothing, Mrs. Cora Marker has decided to strike out for herself. Ah ! It is the peculiar luring quality of our climate that has done it. She is now working at the "Stronghold Shirt Factory," and says she enjoys it very much.

One of the most delightful parties of the season was given by Misses Helen Young and Ella Roy, who proved to be most charming hostesses. The decorations of the rooms included many hearts, which with long streamers of red crepe paper presented a most beautiful effect. The evening's entertainment arranged by the two hostesses was one thrill after another, and left nothing to be desired in the way of genuine enjoyment. The The prize winners were Mr. Urmun, Mr. Cool and Mrs. May Cool, who got respectively a nigger Kewpie doll, a valentine favor, and a white Kewpie doll. The opening of the dining room doors disclosed to our appreciative eyes a very pretty scene, the valentine motif had been carried out most artistically in the decorations of the seven small tables. A jolly supper, over which continued the fun of the evening, was enjoyed.

Miss Carrie Brown's sister was taken quite ill, but very quickly recovered from it. She is now able to be around. They had intended to motor over to San Diego, but on account of her illness, had to postpone it. After seeing San Diego, they intend to go to San Francisco to see their sisters. Miss Brown has added to her avoidupois since coming here, so it means that our climate is doing her some good.

This article appeared in the *Los Angeles Times*, and is as follows :—

While detectives sat in their office in Central Police Station discussing ways and means to check the operations of hold up men, two of the gentry under discussion held up and robbed Pablo Gonzaler right in front of the window behind which the detectives were in council. Mr. Gonzales is a deaf-mute and was unable to cry out. He was robbers of $15 and his watch. The robbers then fled. The victim was picked up by passers by and carried into the Receiving Hospital. There, by means of paper and pencil, he made known his plight.

There appeared in the *Los Angeles Examiner* this article as follows :—

"Call Policeman if 'Deaf-Mute' asks for Alms.

"Beggars who claim to be Dumb Mostly Impostors," says Association Officer.

The ways of the deaf-mute transgressor are becoming hard indeed. The National Association of the Deaf is waging a war which threatens to wipe out the impostors, who pose as deaf-mutes, and through its impostor bureau is asking the public to assist.

Norman V Lewis, owner of a paper devoted to the interest of mutes and a resident of Los Angeles for thirty years, has been a mute since birth. Through an interpreter, he stated : "It is so rare a thing to find a genuine deaf mute begging as to almost be negligible. Whenever it is possible to secure police co-operation, it has been proven that the beggar was an impostor, no deaf man needs to beg. We are always ready to give assistunce necessary to prevent such practice, and all our local and national associations have been fighting the evil for years.

Last week a deaf friend of mine was stopped by a man, who presented a paper saying he was deaf and a mute and as ing for alms. My friend attempted to speak to him by signs, but the man could not understand. A policeman was called, but when the wagon arrived the police refused to arrest him.

We have a church and a club. We are planning a social center for deaf-mutes, which will maintain an employment bureau and provide vocational training for those who need such advantages. We have about 300 deaf mutes in Los Angeles and I do not know of one who is begging

If the public will hold any beggar who approaches with a deaf mute card and turn him over to the police for investigation, I believe the practice can be stopped certainly, if we are anxious to stop it, the public should co-operate.

The Municipal Charities Commission has been investigating, and will be glad to secure any information which will enable it to locate and prosecute those guilty of this practice.

Miss Kittie Neil, of Pomona, is in town for a six weeks' stay. She invited Miss Brown, Mrs. Wornstaff and Mrs. Cool, to make up a party to go to Clune's Auditorium to see "The Clansman," a grand and startling moving picture play.

Mrs. Reaves is now recovering from a quite serious illness, rheumatism of the kidneys. She is making rapid strides towards recovery. She should get well quickly, when she has the best, nicest, brightest and smartest little grandson. He is only sixteen months old, but has already learned to talk to her in signs. Has a vocabulary of six signs and is adding to it every day, was named after his late grandfather, Mr. Henry Reaves.

Mrs Andrews is telling, with the greatest relish, of how she spotted a negro chicken thief and had him arrested. It came this way: She happened to look out of the window of her house, and there obstructing her view was a negro acting very suspiciously around her neighbor's chicken yard. Knowing the colored people's proverbial liking for chickens, she watched him, but he went off without doing any mischief, the next morning, that neighbor made a great outery that some of her finest chickens had been stolen and that the thief had cut out a hole in her fence. Mrs. Andrews then recollected seeing the colored man hanging around that place only the other day, so she resolved to keep a diligent watch for him. Several day passed by without any results, but finally her perseverance was rewarded. She saw him, and at once had a policeman sent for. After some grilling, the negro confessed to the theft. Eh? Mrs Andrews deserves a detective's star.

Miss Peek, of Chicago, is with us again. Our climate seems to be a veritable magnet; for every winter we are host to many guests from all over this country.

We are now expecting Mr. and Mrs. Hodgman, of St. Paul, to be here the 6th of this month. They will stay with Mr. and Mrs. Thompson for two weeks, and after that it is conjecture as to their future intentions.

Friday afternoon Mrs. Vinnie Mills and Miss Susie McKee gave one of the most delightful parties of the season to fourteen friends. The party was pervaded with the George Washington atmosphere.

From one till four, the time was merrily spent in the pursuit of games and informal conversation. The prize winners were Miss Neil, who got a silk flag, Mrs Ward a candy basket, Miss Ida Miller a box of writing paper, and Miss Elizabeth Taylor a Kewpie doll in a gorgeous red, white and blue dress. After this the guests adjourned to the dining room which, with its red, white and blue decorations, presented a very pretty picture. A most delicious two course luncheon was enjoyed.

Miss Susie McKee is now at Pomona, making Miss McNabnay a few days' visit, after which she will go to Long Beach to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geyer.

Now April is coming, and it is just about the beginning of vacation time. Tack this slogan into your minds and never loose sight of it, but concentrate all your waking thoughts on it.

Here it is.

"Me for California next July"

And I know things will shape that way for you.

You do want to catch hold of this opportunity of coming here, when we are planning everything for your special benefit. Every one of you will be "it" all the time you are here.

If you are coming, don't forget to join the N. A. D. first, if you are not already a member.

MRS. MAY COOL,
*Member Local Publicity Committee, N. A. D.,*
LOS ANGELES.

### Delayed "Last Moment"

In the Battle of Friedland, on June 14, 1807, there was a young lieutenant in Napoleon's armory named Schramm. When the victorious general was riding over the battlefield that evening, he came upon the eighteen-year old officer lying on the ground, mortally wounded, and weeping bitterly. "Why do you weep ?" asked Napoleon, as he rode by. "Because I must die before I can beocme a captain," the youth complained. The words of the dying lieutenant softened the emperor's heart. "My son, I shall gladly fulfill your wish," he said. "I hereby advance you to the rank of captain." The unexpected promotion actually saved the boy's life; he recovered. Later on he fought most valiantly for the cause of Napoleon, and by the time of the Battle of Waterloo he had already become a general. He outlived his "last moments" on the field of Friedland by more than seventy years.

Love is affection, good-will, brotherly kindness, true fraternity for all fellowmen; charitable, gentle truthful, it draws the world towards us, surrounding us with an atmosphere of success, and is a wonderful commercial asset.—*Selected.*

### RELIGIOUS NOTICE

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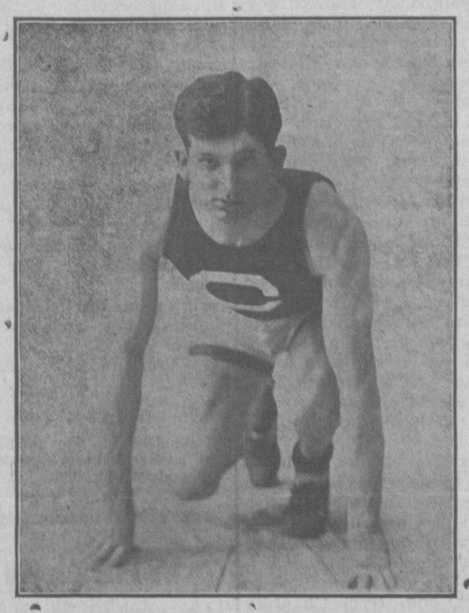
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### Leopold Breslauer.

Leopold Breslauer was born in Waverly Mills, South Carolina, on December 18th, 1888.

At the age of six years he entered Spartansburg School for the Deaf. The following year his parents moved to New York and placed him in Lexington Avenue School for the Deaf, where he first achieved fame. Running was no pastime at that time, but he made a name for himself as a basket-ball player. Through the instruction of Mr. W. S. Kupfer, Leopold became an all-round athlete figuring prominently as an athlete of some ability. He could do one hundred yards in eleven seconds, which was a good time for a school boy, four hundred forty yards in fifty eight seconds, and held supremacy as a high jumper clearing the bar at five feet and three inches. As a basket-ball player he was the mainstay of the team, and it was largely due to his accurate shooting many a close game was won. As records go, yearly averages find him the chief point scorer. The basket-ball team, in which Leopold figured, was organized in 1903, and upon his graduation in 1907, he participated in one hundred sixty-seven games, of which one hundred fifty-nine were victories, against eight defeats.



LEOPOLD BRESLAUER.

From basket-ball he turned to athletics, and up to the present day remains undefeated from sixty to four hundred and forty yards. Liberal handicaps have been given to dash competitors, but he always managed to romp home in the first place. His times for distances are sixty yards in 7¼ seconds, 100 yards in 10⅗ seconds; 220 yards in 25⅗ seconds; 300 yards in 35 seconds, 440 yards in 54 seconds.

Not only has he run for the deaf, but is connected with Clark House A. A., a hearing organization, and has been on the winning team for six years. He has, all told, 50 medals and a score of prizes. To-day he remains undefeated, and he has seen future stars come and go but he goes on forever. Next Summer he will be seen in action again, against all comers. It's his seventh year as undefeated champion, and he is as good as ever. Come on, boys, get busy and see if you can't wrest the laurels from him. He does not know or understand what defeat means. See if you can teach him.

### CATHOLIC CHURCH NOTICES.

St. Francis Xavier's, 30 West 16th Street.—Instruction and Services in the College Hall, at 3:30 P.M., on the first and third Sundays of the month.

St. Rose's, 165th Street, west of Amsterdam Avenue.—Services and Catechism on Sundays at 9 A.M.

St. Vincent Ferrer's, Lexington Avenue and 66th Street.—Services and Catechism on Sundays at 9 A.M.

BROOKLYN.—Knights of Columbus Hall, Hanson Place and South Portland Avenue.—Religious Instruction at 3:30 P.M., on the fourth Sunday of the month.

Under the direction of
REV. M. R. MCCARTHY, S.J.

### Christian Education in Homes Schools and Colleges.

"What a piece of work is man ! So noble in reason, so infinite in faculty; in form and moving how express in admirable; in action how like an angel; in apprehension how like a god! The beauty of the world, the paragon of animals, the very quintessence of dust."

These inspired words of Shakespeare, uttered over three centuries ago, are fulfilled as truths, only in an intelligent, educated man, and not in an ignorance. Most men remain in an embryo state, "half man and half alligator," until their higher faculties of body, mind and soul are evolved.

Education means to draw out; educe from raw materials; the higher qualities. Man is the last great creation of the Almighty Architect; in a crude state. A seed corn to be developed by growth. Unlike a vegetable or cereal, or even an animal, man has been gifted by Divinity with a magic power to make himself grow aright; a creator, in conjunction with the great Creator himself

Man has been endowed with a magnificent privilege of co-operating with his Maker in making a perfect being. Hence the transcendent value of education in its widest and highest sense. Mankind in all ages shows us examples of what impartial teaching and training a man, can accomplish.

The many heroic and noble men of past centuries in Christian, and even Pagan nations, demonstrate the value of systematic culture of the physical, mental, and moral, innate qualities of human nature. Paganism, Hebrewism, and Christianity, during all periods of history, demonstrate in various countries, the truth of the power men naturally possess, to develop the almost infinite possibilities there are within them for expansion.

It would not be necessary to prove this very palpable truth of history of mankind drawn from records of past ages in every line of culture. Egypt, Palestine, Greece, Rome, and the records of European civilization, are full of notable models of men distinguished as great men in different high degrees in bodily, mental, and moral developments.

Christianity and the principles of the Gospel of Christ, as elucidated in the Holy Scriptures, show the most perfect examples of human development in the world. Given a healthy child with Christian parents and ancestry, well taught and trained in Christian culture of body, soul and mind, with good environment, and the ultimate individual will be worthy of Shakespeare's high tribute to man.

Christian education begins with fidelity, in obeying God's "Laws of Life." Attention first to bodily sustenance, exercise, and health hygienics and physical development.

The moral nature is next in order, and demands first the highest parental direction, in connection with following the demands of the wondrous mind. The responsibility of Christian parents, intelligent Christian parents and instructors, soon must be shared by the maturing child. Hence the evolution of an educated Christian is shared ; particularly in its early stages ; by parents and instructors. Homes, schools, churches, colleges, playgrounds, farms, workshops, machinery and other early employments, seem more or less necessary in preparing youthful barques to be launched upon the sea of individual, active progress, towards supreme ability and accomplishment.

No human perfection in any department of useful life can usually be obtainable without a good home. The best home can only be created by parents, who have both equally prepared themselves to build a good home, long before marriage. Many disciplinary circumstances tend to make men and women worthy to become parents of good and great children of either sex.

Children of a larger growth, after emerging from schools, must then, like your eagles, plume their wings to fly for themselves toward the heavens of high achievements. Our colleges in the preparatory stages of training young men and women, should all be Christian schools of learning, as well as of secular scholarship. Chairs of Christianity, as well as of Science, should be endowed, and the admirable principles of human life, taught by the Bible, should be as sedulously inculcated as other college instructions. The young men and women in our numerous colleges, numbering over three hundred thousand students, should have religious chaplains, Biblical professors, as well as in all other branches of learning.

Many young students, even in our Christian land, emerge from classic halls, almost as ignorant of Bible ethics as Hottentots even were found to be. The Bible is a sealed book in many American Universities, and even in many public schools.

The religion of Christianity is the food as necessary or more so for the growth of true men and women, as that of any branch of learning and training.

HENRY M. HALL.

### Deaf-Mute Acts His Defense, Discharged.

NEWARK March 9.—A man was arraigned to-day in the Fourth Precinct Court accused of malicious mischief.

The defendant pleaded not guilty and was placed on trial. He told such a convincing story that Judge Mancusi-Ungaro acquitted him,

And not a single word was spoken throughout the proceeding. In this respect it was the most remarkable case on record in the court of this city.

The prisoner was Abraham Fischman, a deaf-mute, No. 115 Prince Street. He was charged wtth hurling a stone through a window in the store of Morris Bauman of No. 131 Prince Street.

By vigorously shaking his head, Fischman gave the court to understand that he pleaded not guilty. Then he rested his left arm on the court railing, lifted his right foot seven inches, to indicate he was standing at a bar, and raised his right hand to his mouth several times to show he had been drinking. He did this so well one could almost smell his breath.

Fischman contended that a small boy was the culprit. He indicated this by grabbing hold of a burly court officer and measuring off about five feet of his body. Pointing to the policeman, he stopped down, pretended to pick up a stone and swung his arm as if he were throwing. All this the boy was supposed to have done.

Then the defendant stepped back a few paces and enacted his own role again. He saw the imaginary stone flying toward his head and ducked. A few seconds later he startled the court room by clapping his hands and stamping his feet to indicate the shattering of the plate glass window.

A sad expression came to his face as he expressed his regret for not having checked the flight of the stone, and he swung his arms with joy as the Judge silently waved him from the court room.

### Animals That Never Drink.

It would seem that water is so indispensable to life that no animals could exist without drinking. Nevertheless, Dr. Blanford asserts that the antelopes that live in the sand desert between the salt lake Chilka and the sea never drink.

This has been doubted by physiologists, who deny that existence is possible in such condition, but confirmatory evidence is now adduced by Dr. Drake Brockman. It appears that since 1910 a troupe of gazelles have lived in the small island Saad-ud-Din, on the side of Somaliland where there is no source of water, and where the annual rainfall is less than three inches, so that these gazelles cannot obtain water expect at very rare showers.

The vegetation is very poor, and they cannot supplement the lack of water during the dry season by consuming roots and bulbous plants rich in liquid.—*Sel.*

Mrs. Sarah Jane Cornelius, aunt of late S. Place Cornelius, oldest resident of Long Island, who would have been 101 years old, March 14th, died March 7th, at Patchogue, L. I. "Aunt Sallie," as she was known, read and sewed, but for the last three years had subsisted exculusively on a milk diet.

# Deaf-Mutes' Journal.

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EDWIN A. HODGSON, *Editor.*

THE DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL (published by the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, at W. 163d Street and Ft. Washington Avenue) is issued every Thursday; it is the best paper for deaf-mutes published; it contains the latest news and correspondence; the best writers contribute to it.

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"He's true to God who's true to man:
Wherever wrong is done
To the humblest and the weakest
'Neath the all-beholding sun,
That wrong is also done to us,
And they are slaves most base,
Whose love of right is for themselves,
And not for all the race"

THAT the American deaf will succeed in raising money enough to provide a fitting memorial to Abbe Michel de l'Epee can not be doubted.

Bulletins sent in by the Chairman of the Committee in charge of the project (Rev. Dr. James H. Cloud) show a constantly increasing and steady growth.

The editor of the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL anticipates being present at the unveiling of a grand statue to De l'Epee.

He hopes and believes that it will be a creation of a great American *deaf* sculptor.

He has faith that the gratitude of the deaf will unloose their purse strings and hasten the day which will see the successful culmination of the very laudable, but very tardy, movement to do honor to the first, the greatest, the most self-sacrificing, the most philanthropic benefactor of the deaf of all the world.

He is emphatically opposed to the idea of a "useful" memorial.

Let all the deaf live lives of usefulness, but make the memorial to De l'Epee something sublime and inspiring; something that shall tell through the coming centuries the story of the removal of the shackles of darkness and ignorance, the discontinuance of oppression and persecution, the recognition and concession to them of all civic rights that are the heritage and privilege of the peoples of the different nations among whom they dwell.

The history of the world is written in monuments and statuary as well as in books. The bronze and marble memorials perpetuate the heroism, the goodness, the philanthropy, of individuals; they portray and proclaim those stupendous events that have revolutionized nations, influenced humanity, altered the destinies of the entire world. They are open books of inspiration to all who look upon them, and are far more potent in the lessons they convey than the valuable tomes of history and biography which can not easily be reached, and even when readily accessible are seldom read.

Let there be nothing of commercialism in the memorial to the Abbe de l'Epee.

The so-called "useful" memorials convey but scant information to the multitude. They are usually known only to the few who utilize the benefits they may convey or the advantages they may afford. All too often the significance of such memorials is lost and nothing exists except the name.

The Abbe Michel de l'Epee dedicated his great mental talents to the construction of a systematic language of gesture, that should confer the priceless boon of education upon the deaf and dumb; he gave all of the love of a big and warm heart to the neglected deaf children whose cause he had espoused; he gave his entire fortune and all the money which the sympathy and interest engendered by his work succeeded in attracting; he consecrated his life to the spiritual and mental uplift of the deaf.

Let us endeavor to tell all this in endurable bronze.

FOR THE DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL.

## A War Mission of Love.

90 RUE DE MARSEILLES
BOURDEAUX, FRANCE, Feb. 20, 1915.

DEAR FRIENDS: I come to say, "Thank you," with all my heart, to those of you that have so generously answered to my appeal in favor of the poor Belgian deaf refugees. I have received from Miss Edgar, of Ohio, she a devoted collector of the fund: A first remittance of $50; and a second of $56; making in French money, respectively 257 francs 50 centimes, and 288 francs 40 centimes, that were paid to me without any difficulty at the post office, at the beginning of January, a few days ago.

I have, too, received directly from America a few other gifts, that have not been announced in the list of the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, so, though I have written directly to the donors, I acknowledge their receipt there:

From the pupils and teachers of the Talladega School for the Deaf, by Mrs. Weston Jenkins, 66 francs 59 centimes—most of it being "pennies and dimes of small children, all they had, but given willingly for a good cause!"

From J. E. Trues, China, Texas, $1. (This dollar came from a poor lonely young farmer, who "would gladly give more if he was able, but did not have good crops this year, so was sending the dollar instead of subscribing to the Silent Courrier!)

From Rev. Charles O. Dantzer, collected in the deaf Congregation of Philadelphia, or spontaneously offered by the Church Members, 20 dollars 55 cents.

From the Christian Association of the Iowa School for the Deaf, by Mr. Stewart, 2 dollars.

I know how hard are the times,—even in happy and free America,—how harder they are specially for the deaf workers, so I cannot say how precious these big or small sums have been to me, how I felt the sacrifices and self denials they represented, and how encouraged and helped I was myself, by the kind messages and good wishes they brought to me and to my afflicted people.

Special mention is due to my friend, Miss Edgar, for her great work and her splendid result in the collection she did; and it was so sweet of her to tell once: "This money goes with God's blessing on you for your noble work," and the second time: "It goes with the love of all who contributed." Dear Ohio helpers, I am asking to your collector to send me the complete list of your names, so that I may always keep it among my more precious records, like I keep the list in the "DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL," as the names of many dear friends, known and unknown, whose kindness I shall never forget.

It is a great privilege to me,—and, indeed, in spite of the very sad and distressing, sometimes nearly heart breaking, circumstances of this winter of 1914-1915, it has been one of the joys and blessings of my life to have been able to do this labour of love for the victims of the war. Certainly the deaf refugees,—as well as all the other refugees, have been relieved by the Government and by various Committees,—they have not stranded in a land of savages! And even savages would have been moved to see them, as they arrived to us from the war zones,—haggard, terrified, the horrors and fright of burning towns and villages, and of peaceful people shot and murdered inscribed on their pale faces! But how particularly precious have been to the deaf members of the trembling flock the offerings from deaf friends like themselves,—friends that fully realize their special sorrows and appealing needs,—friends that know that their infirmity made them twice as painfully "strangers in a strange land," friends that sympathize with them, that are interested in them, that LOVE them!

In addition of the funds received from my American helpers, I have had others from France, Switzerland, Britain, Holland, Canada; a few more are promised from Australia and Sweden. The lists and balances are published in full in the magazine I edit for deaf women "La petite Silencieuse." My magazine gives too, the list of the Belgian and French refugees I have been able to discover and to help,—about fifty cases now, among them are several deaf couples, and two groups of deaf orphan girl refugees, one from the Arras Asylum numbering forty girls, The other from the Laon Asylum numbering twenty-eight girls, each of them having received either a little pocket money or a piece of clothing! Every one of my refugees has had little sums of money, clothes, books or magazines for those able to read, toys for children, and a Christmas present for those I knew at Christmas time. The others will have Easter presents in place!

I quote in my magazine a few examples among so many others:—

1. Family Houdain of Jeumont, near Manbeug, Nord. A grandfather, deaf and dumb, a sculptor by trade. A grandmother, deaf and dumb, became blind four years ago, both former pupils of the Nancy School; have escaped their burning village invaded by the German troops, with their daughter, son-in-law and little granddaughter of 12, crippled with palstry and idiot! The house they built with the savings of their whole life is burnt, all the works of the old man (somewhat of a real artist) destroyed too! The family is refugee 72 Rue Camille Godart, Bordeaux. Since their coming here, the poor old woman has died of a broken heart, the doctor says! The head of the Bordeaux School for the Deaf Boys has kindly consented to give some work to the deaf old sculptor, whom I have introduced to some Bordeaux deaf.

2. Marie Baptizita Leerg, Belgian girl, 14 years old, former pupil of the Burges School. Refugee in Parthenay, Deux Sevres On the asking of the temporary government of Belgium at Le Havre, I am trying to obtain her free admission in the Poictiers School for Deaf Girls.

3. Mr. and Mme. Walterus, a young deaf Belgian couple from Louvain, and Mme. Walterus's younger deaf sister, Mme. Biet, of Liege, the wife of a deaf sailor and the mother of a baby girl of 18 months. When Belgium was invaded, the Walterus escaped with their sister, but Mme. Biet's husband returned back in Liege to save his wife's father, mother and aunt,—all deaf-mutes too, and since, they all disappeared and were not heard of again! The two Walterus and Mme. Biet with her baby arrived with a ship of refugees in London, where a boy-scout, noticing that they were deaf-mutes, brought them to Rev. Gilby, the pastor of the London deaf, who very kindly received them and later on settled them in a flat of their own. The young Belgians were safe there, but always thought of the dear missing ones they supposed to have been killed! But a few weeks ago, Mme. Biet's mother-in-law (the only hearing person of the family) after having vainly searched her in Louvain, Liege and Ostende, arrived in London and miraculously found the young women, happily bringing with her the news that Mr. Biet, and the three old people were safe and sound in Liege! Since Mme. Biet with her baby has returned back to her husband in Belgium with her mother-in-law. Mr. and Mme. Walterus will remain in London till the war is finished.

4. Less happy than Mme. Biet is Mme Linard, another Belgian young wife from Charleroi. In the crowd and the frantic escape, she too lost her husband and arrived in Paris, all sobs and tears, with her baby boy in her arms. In spite of all search, Mr. Linard has never been found again! The young woman lives 5 Rue Travertiere, Billancourt near Paris, where several ladies of mine are visiting her.

5. Beatrix Brookbanks, eighteen years old, is the daughter of a French mother, deceased, and of an English father, a lad of Chantilly, who has enlisted since the beginning of the war and is now a soldier in the British army. The girl is a refugee of Oise district, and from Chantilly where she lives, though quite deaf, she can daily hear the thunder of the cannon!

6 and 7. In more painful situation still are Mr. and Mme. Moreau, a deaf couple of Rheims, with their three-year-old boy, and little Suzanne Goviniaux, 8 years old, deaf-mute, also living in Rheims with her mother, while "her dad" is fighting at the front. Since February all of them—like all the Rheims inhabitants—are living in large cellars, in half darkness, while daily the bombs are doing above their heads their work of destruction and death!

8. Now comes Julie Ringue, a poor old deaf girl of 58, a cow-keeper in Alsace, to whom a band of German soldiers has stolen her cows, her only means of living, and who is now, homeless and penniless, a poor refugee in Badouvilliers!

9. I wonder what little Marceau Harpillard, 6 years old, deaf-mute, still uneducated, but very intelligent, will remember later on of the Great war? A rush of terrible looking strangely dressed men in the village he lived in with his mother, brothers and sisters. Detonations, powder-smelling smoke, fuliginious and thundering lights, the flying away in the night, the passionate and trembling embrace of his mother. And then, the slaying in an unknown place, where people looked down pitifully at him, and seemed to listen with much sympathy the stories mamma told them, in crying and weeping. And after the warm sunny days, the falling leaves, the blowing winds, the cold becoming harder and harder, the snow and frost, so painful for one who has nothing to put on but the light summer clothes one had in the flight. And one day the arrival of a big parcel, and the wrapper pulled down, the marvellous sight of a splendid outfit (the gift of a lady interested in the work), jacket, trousers, vest, overcoat, hat—all that he hastily needed! And it was so warm and comfortable, and every one looked at him in admiration, while he proudly went from one neighbor to another to show himself! And the wooden horse that Marceau found too in his parcel, how triumphantly he took it, kissed it, petted it, played with it, and finally took it in bed with him to sleep!

And the two dollars and half sent for him to his mother, how they proved to be useful!

I would like to speak too of Franciscus Vervoort, 34 years old, deaf-mute tailor from Antwerp, refugee in Holland with his wife and three children, among whom a four-year-old little Hortense, deaf like her papa, that I have placed in a deaf school; of Amelie Gaspard, an Alsacian girl, refugee in Brittany, who has lost in her escape, her father, mother and sister, all deaf-mutes, too! Of Marie and Gabreille Milon, 21 and 19 years old, the deaf daughters of a prosperous farmer in the Rheims region—now absolutely ruined, his house pulled down, his fields and woods sacked! And of Francois Hequet, a poor deaf man of the Pas-de Calais (Channel) Zone, whose wife has been killed by a bomb, while his cottage and all its contents were burned to ashes, and who is now alone on earth with his two little children. And of dear little Georges Ausset, five years old, blind and mute, whose father has been killed on the battlefield! And of so many, so many others! It would be too long, but dear helpers, this incomplete list shows how useful and welcome have been your gifts.

The second remittance of $56 from Miss Edgar has been added to another big gift from Scotland, as to complete a sum of $200—one thousand francs—that I sent to the prominent Belgian couple, the benefactors of the deaf of Belgium, Mr. and Mme. Dresse, who are now staying at 7 Trinity Crescent, Folkessone, England. They intend to return back in Belgium as soon as possible, they even planned to go away there on February 15th, but circumstances have retained them for a while. The money is perfectly safe in their hands, and on their return home, they will distribute it themselves to the more needy deaf victims of the war, that have remained in Belgium and have had such hard and terrible times there since the beginning of the war!

In addition of these $200 given away, and of the sums I have personally distributed to the refugees, when Peace will be concluded (oh! please God that this happy day may come soon!) as I have explained and promised several months ago, when I started my work, in the September issue of my magazine, I shall distribute all the money left in balance to the deaf of the Belgian and French invaded zones, as to help them repair their poor ruined homes.

And now, dear friends, with many thanks again, and best wishes for each of you, I am,

Yours in the deaf cause,

YVONNE PITROIS.

I should be grateful to the deaf papers that have reproduced my call for "Help" to reproduce, too, this report.

## WHEELING.

Mr. Thomas Lloyd Littleton died Saturday morning, March 13th, at five o'clock, at his home near Thirty-seventh Street, Bellaire, O, from hemorrhage of heart. His birthday would have occurred six days later; he being seventy-seven years of age. He had been for years in feeble health from the effects of paralysis. He was a quiet, peaceful Christian; being ascertained the oldest member of St. Elizabeth's. He was well known in the Ohio town. He always enjoyed his popularity among the deaf by telling reminiscences of the Civil War. He was one of nineteen children who wonderfully endured hardships. He was educated at Columbus School.

During his two weeks laying up, he received pastoral call and sacred rites from Rev. A. W. Stimson of Trinity Church, assisted by Miss Nellie Corbett. His funeral takes place on Tuesday afternoon. The burying place is Rose Hill Cemetery. He is survived by his wife, formerly of New Jersey, son, Ruby and daughters, Mary and Grace Littleton, and Mrs. W. R. Alexander.

The Deaf Mute Guild got down to business on March 6th, at St. Matthew's, transacting considerable legislation. A big attendance was present. A committee was appointed to draft a resolution of regret upon the departure of Rev. Oliver J. Whildin, Vicar of the fire ruined St. Elizabeth's Church for the Deaf, who, on May 1st, accepts the appointment of Third Provincial Synod for the Baltinore Mission and Diocese of Maryland, and to make elaborate preparations for the farewell reception to be tendered him. The Guild members are greatly pleased over the nearing completion of the conversion of St. Matthew's Rectory into a parish-house, of which a Board of Governors was elected to direct recently.

The farewell party by the guild in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Seaman at St. Mathew's is cancelled, owing to the death of Mr. Littleton. They go this week to Barnesville, O., to enter upon the basket factory business they bought some weeks ago.

Mr. Frank Bucey, of Pittsburg, Pa., is visiting in Wheeling and and Rayland, O. He solicits subscriptions for *Hearthstone* magazine. His traveling companion, Raymond Coombs, of Pittsburg, too, was in town.

J. C. B.

## GALLAUDET COLLEGE.

Mr. Arthur D. Call, the famous American Peace advocate, honored the undergraduates of Gallaudet College, on Sunday afternoon, March 7th, with a short but eloquent and interest-compelling address, upon his views of Peace and how it may be attained.

Mr. Call made a very strong impression upon his student audience. Though the force of his words were necessarily lessened by Dr. Ely's fine interpretation in sign language, it was nevertheless perfectly obvious to all present that Mr. Call is an orator of the first water. His gestures were forceful and the ever-changing expression of his mobile, masterful face were a powerful aid in impressing an audience used to reading expression. Moreover, Mr. Call's views were sound and liberal. On the whole, our distinguished speaker convinced us that, however secured, Peace is greatly to be desired.

"NIETZSCHE AND TREITSCHKE."

When Dr. A. B. Fay announced the above as the subject of the Faculty Lecture, which he purposed to deliver on Friday evening, March 12th, there was much scratching of vacant top-knots and puzzled conjectures concerning the meaning of those jaw-breaking words, which, when one observes them closely, look most like the description of a fellow falling into a tub of cold water. Some said they were the names of Russian fortresses, while others declared that they were new brands of breakfast food.

But all guesses were side-tracked when Dr. Fay mounted the chapel platform and calmly informed us that the two words were the names of famous German writers, who had done much to bring about the present war.

Dr. Fay's remarks concerning Nietzsche were interesting, but were quickly forgotten when he proceeded to describe Treitschke, the most famous of deaf men. A great thrill went through the audience when our learned Doctor related how the man, overcoming the handicaps of his affliction, became successively professor, author, and finally member and leader of the Reichstag, and second in power to Bismarck alone.

In past years, the Saturday Night Dramatic Club has given many a successful play, but it is to be doubted, at least in the opinion of the oldtimers present, that any of these performances quite equalled this year's exhibition, "Followed by Fate," which was presented in Chapel Hall, on Saturday evening, March 13th. Both for the excellency of the acting and the general arrangement of the stage, the present performance was unrivalled by its predecessors.

"Followed by Fate" is a four-act melodrama, with a plot centering about a young newspaperman and a "pretty" stenographer. It has all the characters peculiar to this species of drama—the hero, heroine, villain, et cetera.

Some surprise was expressed by the audience at the number of "ladies" in the cast, and some who doubted the ability of "mere man" to exhibit the foibles and weaknesses of his "better-arf" imagined that the performance would be a fiasco. But such doubters got a big jolt when they observed the smoothness with which the young men impersonating the "sweet things" carried off their parts. The polish and letter-perfect manner with which Rockwell, '16, and Shannon, '16, acted the "shemale," would have made Julian Eltinge green with envy. Reader: Have you ever seen the stern sex act "what they aint?" If not, you missed the treat of your life.

Following is the cast of characters:—

Robert Winslow, proprietor of the Daily Review.....Mr. Butterbaugh, '15
Harold La Motte, an adventurer.....
.....Mr. Decker, '15
Walter Gifford, a reporter.....
.....Mr Sullivan, '17
Mr. Johnson, a printer ...Mr. Marshall, '17
Officers .....
Messrs. McInturff, '17 and Skoglund, '18
Phoebe Asherof, stenographer.....
.....Mr. Rockwell, '16
Lulu Luklow, an heiress...Mr. Willman, '18
Mrs. Ellison-Dunbar-Everly-Griggs.....
.....Mr. Shannon, '16
Lily May, her darling Maid.....
.....Mr. A. Wenger, '18
Sallie Packett, Phoebe's Maid.....
.....Mr. Newman, 18

Committee on Plays—Mr. Jacobson, Chairman; Messrs. Moore, '15, Decker, '15, McInturff, '17, Sullivan, '17.

Committee on Arrangements—Mr. Cascaden '17, Chairman; Messrs. Pulver, '16, Gilbert, '18, R Wenger, '18
Dr. Charles Ely—Interpreter.

BASE BALL NOTES.

The Gallaudet base ball team has now had two weeks of outdoor practice. The weather has been so cold, however, that the team is far from being in playing condition, and it may take a couple of weeks more for the men to round into form.

Coach Priest is very enthusiastic over the material he has at hand, and promises to develop one of the best teams that Gallaudet has had in many years. To those familiar with the misfortunes the Kendall Greeners have met with on the diamond of late years, the above will come as very pleasant news.

Gallaudet's greatest trouble in baseball has been to lay hands on a suitable coach. Mr. Swan, who coached the team previous to this year, was certainly well up on the scientific points of the game, but seemed unable to hit off well with the players. At all events, he could not produce a winning team, and the Gallaudet nine lost, and lost consistently. Mr. Priest, on the other hand, knows the game from the players' standpoint, and is well liked by the members of the squad. He seems to fill the bill to perfection. Anyway, we are all looking to the team to do things this year.

The season has not yet progressed far enough for Coach Priest to pick his team, but from inside knowledge, it looks to us as if the line-up will be something like the following: Cathers, Rendall and Mellis; pitchers, Rassmussen, Classen, Lynch, Ferguson and Harms; first base, Marshall; second base, Schowe; short stop, Capt. Rockwell; third base, Pilliod; fielders, Hladik, Russell, Moore and Peard.

It is safe to say that whatever shifts that may be made later on will not include Marshall at first and Capt. Rockwell at short. Both are men of experience, fielding their positions perfectly and walloping the ball with a vengeance.

On Wednesday afternoon, March 10, the Lincoln A. C., a local bunch of ball-tossers, went Gallaudet to a five to five tie in the first practice game of the season. Neither team showed anything like real form, both demonstrating an inability to lace out the hors hide sphere. In addition, each team made many costly errors, Gallaudet being particularly guilty of the latter.

Rassmussen, Lynch and Classen did mound duty for Gallaudet. Rassmussen was the only one of the three who appeared to know where the plate was. Classen was off his game, and gave several free tickets to first, because of his inability to put the ball over the pan.

### NOTES FROM THE FARM.

Scotty and Bill went down the hill, to meet a girl from Vassar; Vivian was the sweetie's name, and she surely was some lasser. Well, Scotty and Bill went down the hill, and on the way they passed her; thought her a friend of the cook—could anything be more crasser?

Quoth Scotty to Bill, "Don't tell this to Will; he's laughed at us enough. We'll invent a tale that'll make him pale, and put him in a huff." And so that night they both did write, and this is what they said: "Dear Will, we're sad, yet don't get mad, and wish that you are dead. For the Senior Class, from dear old Vass, dropped in on us to-day. Nice girls and fine, we had a gay time; and poor you so far away."

Bill later returned back to town and came across the peach of Philly; whereat he quickly lost his frown which made him feel quite silly. He told her about the affair sad, O! why did you do it, Billy? Know you that there can't be had, any secrets for a woman, lad! Altho they're worth their weight in gold, there's none who can such secret hold.

Will got the letter and worried much; he had no faith, Bill, Scotty, and such, knew how to entertain and sure enough, he soon discovered it was all a bluff. Over in the charming Westchester hills, there's a favorite calling place of Will's; and when he went thence (for some fresh air), Dorothy, the Philaqueen happened to be there.

"O Will!" she said with a mournful sigh, "Can you explain to me why your good friends thought Vivian could look, like the daughter of an ordinary buxom cook. And worse yet, what have you to say, in their defence for the ungallant way, they left her standing in the hall, and wouldn't even speak to her at all."

Will scratched his head where the hair once was, for it surely did make his brain buzz; the revelation oh, what great joy! Still he held his peace like a nice, little boy, and put over for them a good word or two, the same anyone for a friend would do. But that night he sent the short note to Scotty whose vanity was quite smote. "Your letter received, but I'm not mad, nor can I hardly feel sad; The Senior Class? Ha! ha! forsooth, I cachinnate much for I know the truth."

Bert Forse was a very happy chap, lived somewhere on the Po keepsie map; a golden stream to to his office ran, for he was Vassar's picture man. They liked him but he was popular, because he owned a motor car. Well, he knew Vivian—so there you are.

Open burst his studio door, Scotty and Bill came in with a roar; Seized him by the neck and flung him on the table—sat on his lung; scoured his soul till he almost cried; killed him, too, till he nearly died. "Why did you tell Will?" they fiercely said, but Bert could only shake his head, and protest in vain he did not know the reason for this vaudeville show. So they kept at him with might and main, and Bertie felt he was being slain; but Chance sent to the rescue a pensive elf, in the person of Vivian's own sweet self. What happened thereafter I cannot say, but all ended happily the usual way.

## St. Louis Briefs.

The "deaf" impostor measure passed the Missouri Senate without opposition the other day—thanks to the interest and activity in the matter on the part of Hon. W. H. Phelps, of Carthage. The measure putting the State School at Fulton in the class along with the educational institutions also passed.

A few weeks ago a young man was in the neighborhood of Jefferson and Russell Avenues giving out cards on which was printed the following statement:

A DEAF-MUTE'S APPEAL.
I cannot speak as others, My lips are sealed and dumb and no matter. What kind of word you speak to me no sound can come, but of all my misfortune I am not wholly sad if you would buy my little poem it will help to make me glad.
Please Help Me.
F. J. CARMAN.

The fellow gave out one too many—a relative of a pupil attending Gallaudet School getting one, with the result that business ceased to be so good at that particular corner. He certainly must have sensed a hostile local sentiment, for not long after he turned up in Indianapolis. The issue of the *Silent Hoosier* details an experience Prof. Utten Read had with a fellow who gave him a card similar to the above and got away, leaving Mr. Read holding the goods.

Local daily papers of some days ago gave out the following news item:

MERRELL LEFT $68,000 ESTATE.

An inventory of the estate of Ashbel N. Merrell of the Probate Court in Clayton, shows a personal estate of $68,001.95. The real estate consists of the home, 108 Old Orchard Avenue, and a one-fourth interest in land in St. Clair County, Ill., which is in the hands of Cyrus P. Walbridge, George R. Merrell and Isaac H. Orr, as trustees. The largest part of the estate consists of stock in the J. S. Merrell Drug Company. This amounts to $50,000. He held bonds worth $3,000 and cash $5,691.

Mr. Henry Stumpe, Jr., is planning a trip to the coast this coming summer—to include Omaha during the N. F. S. D. convention—he, of course, is a Frat—and San Francisco during the N. A. D. convention there. He may spend some little time in the vicinity of Los Angeles with his friend and schoolmate, Mr. Russell Handley, who moved to California from St. Louis a year or so ago.

Mr. Samuel Biller is all smiles these days, and no wonder, Mrs. Biller and the children have returned to St. Louis, after a visit of several months with Mrs. Biller's relatives in New York.

### Nashua, N. H.

There are about fifteen deaf-mutes living in Nashua to-day.

Mr. Joseph Lampson keeps a saloon, he is married and has two bright children.

Messrs. Frank Damon and Frank Blodgett are now out of work. The shop in which they had been employed for forty-two years has been closed.

Elon Gay is also out of work at present.

Mr. Michael Swett has been obliged on account of ill health to quit working. He had been steadily employed in the same place for ten years. His sister, Sophia M. Swett, is still keeping house for Mr. W. E. White.

Mr. Deering, of Pittsfield, N. H., was here on the 7th inst., and held services for the deaf. He is a widower again, having lost two wives. He has six children in all.

Mrs. Frank Worcester, formerly of Amherst, N. H., has lived in this city for nearly ten years. Since last January she has been confined indoors.

Mrs. Geo. Wise, formerly of Maine, has come to live in this city with her mother. She has three children. She has to work in the mill to support her mother and children. Her husband left her, went to Michigan to work, but it is rumored that he married again somewhere in the West.

Where is Mr. Benjamin H. Wood? Last heard of him, he was traveling around the world.

### ALL SOULS' CHURCH FOR THE DEAF

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Morning Prayer—First Sunday, 10:30 A.M.
Evening Prayer—Every Sunday except the first, 3:00 P.M.
Bible Class—Every Sunday 4:15 P.M.
Clerc Literary Association—Every Thursday evening after 7:30 o'clock.
Pastoral Aid Society—Every Thursday afternoon.
Men's Club—Third Tuesday of each month, 8 P.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kenny and daughter, Beatrice, of Watervliet, N. Y., will go to Brooklyn over Easter week, to visit Mr. Kenny's cousin. Mrs. Kenny will visit her aunt in Albany with her daughter in May.

# NEW YORK.

News items for this column, should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL Station M, New York.
A few words of information in a letter or on a postal card is suffieient. We will do the rest.

The Whist and Dance given by the Clark Deaf-Mutes' Athletic Association at Masonic Banquet Hall, last Saturday evening, March 13th, proved to be a big success. The Association had hopes of success, and their wish was fulfilled. Thanks are due to the committee and all those who helped to make the affair a successful one.

At 7:30, when the doors were opened, the people were arriving very slowly, but by 8:30, the committee had no trouble in handling them, although they numbered almost two hundred.

The whist contest for a loving cup was a very interesting one, for it was represented by various clubs. Among those who joined the contest were the National Fraternal Society of the Deaf, the Downtown Association of the Deaf, the New Jersey Society of the Deaf, the Men's Club of St. Ann's Church for the Deaf. The Hebrew Congregation of the Deaf enrolled two teams—one consisted of ladies and the other was made up of gentlemen.

While the teams were occupied scoring points for their own sides, the loving cup, which was 8 inches high, and beautifully engraved, was waiting to go into the hands of the winner. Each team was composed of skillful players, and each felt sure they would carry home the prize.

But fate had decided, and the Hebrew Congregation, consisting of the Ladies' Team, turned out to be the winner, with the score of 187 points. The Men's Club ranked second with 179 points. The Downtown Association was booked for third place with 166 points, the New Jersey Society held the fourth place with 164 points, while the N. F. S. D. followed with 154 points.

The team, which was composed of gentlemen, playing for the Hebrew Congregation of the Deaf, was disbanded.

The names of those ladies who played for the Hebrew Congregation of the Deaf, were: Mrs. M. L. Kenner, 28 points; Mrs. L. A. Cohen, 25; Mrs. Simonson, 19; Mrs. Miller, 19; Mrs. Moses, 15, and the Misses A. Klaus, 18; Ruby Abrams, 14; S. Kind, 19; Miss Frankenthal 19, and Miss Hamburger, 11. It is hoped that some day these names will be found engraved on the loving cup. Congratulations!

Beside the loving cup, were 30 other prizes, for those who scored highest.

The prizes were so beautiful and handsome that everyone wished to be first to get a pick.

The names of the ladies who scored highest are as follows: Mrs. L. Breslauer, 29; Mrs. M. L Kenner, 28; Miss Annie Cohlen, 26; Miss L. Kind, 25; Mrs. L. A. Cohen, 25; Mrs. S. Kohn, 24; Mrs. J. McCluskey, 22; Mrs. Metzner, 20; Miss V. Schwartz, 19; Miss S Kind, 19; Miss Frankenthal, 19; Mrs. Taube, 19; Miss Poland, 19; Mrs. Mayers, 19; Miss A. Klein, 18; Miss S. Kobrin, 18.

The gentlemen winners were as follows: Mr. Louis Rothkrug, 33 points; Mr. M. Majchercyzk, 28; Mr. Morris, 28; Mr. Weiner, 27; Mr. Balmuth, 26; Mr. H. Dramis, 25; Mr. Ballin, 25; Mr. Pinglese, 25; Mr. Lovitch, 24; Mr. M. L. Kenner, 23; Mr. Pfandler, 23; Mr. J. Alexander, 23; Mr. S. Goldwater, 22; Mr. M. Weinberger, 21. Each of the above had a prize to carry home.

The writer wishes to be excused for any error that might be written, as far as the spelling of the names of the prize winners, and the order in which they ranked, are concerned.

After the prizes were awarded, a beautiful marble bust of Abraham Lincoln was sold at auction. The first bid was five cents, and then it got up into the dollar mark and was going up, up, until it seemed that it would never end, when finally Marcus L. Kenner was the highest bidder, but Mr. Thedore S. Rose raised his bid only five cents higher than Kenner's bid, and the latter gave up.

Another thing that entertained the people was, when they saw a big bunch of bananas, which they thought would be given away free. But they were not there for that purpose. They were to be sold at five cents a piece. Pennies, nickles, dimes and quarers were hid in the bananas. As soon as this was announced, a rush for a pull was made, and the Committee was busy seeing that no one did peek into the bananas. Some got the prizes, and the lucky fellows who won the quarters were Mr. Etich and Mr. W. Schulman. Others won dimes, etc.

The rest of the evening was spent in dancing. At 12.30, the crowd began to get thinner and thinner, and by 1 o'clock the lights went out. The Clark Deaf-Mutes A. A. stand proud of the success that they have met with, at every affair given, and hope that all the affairs in the future will also be crowned with success.

Things are moving along quite normally in the camp of Brooklyn Division No. 23, but some will think a cyclone hit Imperial Hall when they assemble on April 3d for the monthly business meeting. A delegate to the Omaha Convention will be elected at this meeting, and for the past month or two, all the candidates have been marshalling their forces together and at the same time trying to capture some of their enemies. A heavy roll call is looked for.

At a previous meeting of the division, Thos. J. Cosgrove was selected as chairman of an entertainment committee to serve till December 31st, 1915. The committee will arrange and have full charge of all social affairs held under the division's auspices after the dramatic reading managed by Brother Landau. The following will assist Mr. Cosgrove in all preparations. A. Berg, M. Lubin, J. F. Graham, F. A. Brown, J Keiber, Jr., H. Hanneman, J. Zeiss, W. H. Aufort and L Davis. They have planned to hold something on the evening of Saturday, June 12th, but as yet, have not decided what. A meeting to discuss and arrange things has been called for. We hope to announce our plans ere long.

The dramatic reading by Louis A. Cohen under the auspices of the division, promises to be interesting. Brother Cohen has had much experience in this art, and all who have seen him know he will do his part to make the evening enjoyable. Dancing will follow the reading, and over two hours merry whirling can be indulged in. May 8th is the date. Secure your pasteboards from any of the members.

Encouraged by the success of the whist party of February 20th, the Deaf-Mutes' Union League announces that a Hearts Party will be held in its rooms, on Saturday evening, March 20th, at eight o'clock. The admission is thirty five cents, including very pretty prizes and "eats." Any body, who knows how to play this fascinating game, is cordially invited to come and try his or her skill in repelling "hearts" away. Its rooms are at 143 West 125th Street.

Mr. Archie J. McLaren, popular and well-known in Brooklyn and New York among the deaf-mutes, will give a lecture in St. Mark's Church, Adelphi Street, Brooklyn, on Saturday evening, March 20th, at 8 P M. His subject will be "The Life of a Musician." Admission fifteen cents.

Mrs. Margaret W. Mears announces the engagement of her daughter, Frances, to Mr. Emery F. Wolgamot.

Mr. Isaac Zwicker and Miss Rose Steinlauf were married by Rabbi Albert J. Amateau, at 86 Attorney Street, last Sunday evening.

Miss Barbara Spoehrer, of Albany, is in New York for a stay of three or more weeks. She is an honor graduate of Fanwood.

Moriz Schoenfeld hat von Herrn Joseph Polanetz, einem Mitarbeiter der Wiener "Taubsaummen-Revue,, ein Schreiben erhalten, aus dem hervorgeht, dass Herr Salomon N. Loew, der "Riese der Wiener Taubstummen", ein Cousin des verstorbenen Jacques Loew, an Athemsbeschwerde und Harnstein im Rothschild Hospital zu Wien seit Janaar krank darniederliegt. Herr Salomon N. Loew feierte vor wenigen Monaten mit den gesamten Wiener Taubstummen den 70. Geburtstag. Wir, die New Yorker Taubstummen, hoffen und wuenschen, dass er sich baldigst von der Krankheit erhole!

Dem derzeitig in Wien weilenden Moriz Korngold fuer seinen Neujahrsgruss in der "Revue" an die L. S. sprechen wir den besten Dank und Gruss aus.

On February 25th, a baby-boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Berner, of Hopewell, N. J., which makes the 9th child born to the couple—six boys and three girls. Before marriage Mrs. Berner was Jennie Lovell, and received her education at Fanwood. Mr. Berner also attended school at Fanwood, where he learned the printer's trade. They have been married over twenty-five years. Mr. Berner has held his present job (stone hand) for twenty-six years.

### CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES.

NEW YORK DISTRICT NOTICES.

St. Ann's Church, N. Y. Every Sunday, 9 A.M., and 3 P.M.
Every Friday, 8:15 P.M., Litany service with sermon by visiting clergyman.

St. Mark's Church, Brooklyn. Every Sunday, 3 P.M.
March 28.—Holy Communion.
Every Wednesday, 8 P M., Litany service in Parish House, with sermon.

MARCH.

21.—Trinity Church, Newark, N. J., 3 P.M.
28.—St. Peter's Church, Port Chester. 11 A.M. Holy Communion.
Gallaudet Home, 10:30 A.M.

# OHIO.

[News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 993 Franklin Ave., Columbus, O.

March 13, 1915.—It should have been Miss Virginia Elizabeth Bare and May 24, 1905, and not Bore and 1915, as the typo had put it in our last letter, in speaking of Miss Bare's death.

The school had a distinguished unannounced visitor Saturday morning, in the person of Governor Willis. Entering the front door, he inquired of the first person he met for Superintendent Jones. He was informed Mr. Jones would likely be found at the poultry house on the east side of the building, and straightway without letting his informer know who he was, sought out the school's chickens. Not seeing the man he was after there, he directed his steps to the kitchen, where he talked with the people he found there, and asked them about their work and also sampled some of the food that was being prepared for the children's dinner. It was soon noised around that he was the Governor of Ohio, and Superintendent Jones apprised of his presence in the building. It is said he found the food he had partaken of to his liking, and considered that the wards here were being well served in the cooking and eating line Later Superintendent Jones met him, and the two talked over the management of the school, the Governor also offering some suggestions for its betterment. Superintendent Jones was at the head of the school when the Governor was a member of the legislature, so they were not entire strangers at this meeting. In going over the grounds, a number of the pupils were met, and the Governor tried to make himself at home with them, by using signs and trying to be chummy with them. He went from here to the School for Blind, which he visited in the same manner as here.

The back yards of the main building are about cleared of the debris piled there when the old engine house was torn down for the Board of Administration building. The latter is nearly ready for occupation, and it is said that the Board will have its books and paraphernalia that go to make up its office fixtures brought over from its office in the Hartman Block to-day. A visit to the new building yesterday gave evidence that there is yet much to do before the Board can carry on its work therein.

Word was received here last week that Elmer E Price, of Lexington, O., died February 27th, from pneumonia. He had been sick about two weeks. He was a farmer by occupation and quite successful too, what is more, possessed an excellent moral character, which gave him a strong influence among the residents of his neighborhood. At the time of death he was nearly forty-five years of age. He was graduated from the School here in 1888, and in 1899 was married to Miss Lillie A. Woodland, also a graduate of the School, and whose home then was at Salesville near Bellaire. There are no children living by the union. The remains were interred in the Johnsville Cemetery, and were followed by a number of deaf friends of the deceased living near It is understood Mrs. Price will break up her home and may go to live with her home folks.

Miss Nora Patterson, who has been incapacitated for work by illness, has gone to Cleveland to stay with her brother and recuperate her health.

Miss Pearl Ellis, who was operated upon several months ago, has sufficiently recovered to be able to go to her home. Until in a condition to resume her duties in the dining room, Miss Kolma Jansen will fill her place.

Mrs. Joseph Leib has gone to Huntington, Ind, to help take care of a little girl baby, born to her daughter, Mrs. Fay Lyons, February 26th.

Mention was made last week of the sale of twenty pigs at the Home—a few days later a litter of seventeen took their places. One, however, has since died.

Mr Wm. W. King had as his guests from Friday to Monday, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gledhill. Mrs. Gledhill came here Friday from Pennsylvania, and her husband came down from Urbana, Saturday evening, to accompany her home.

The installation of an electric light plant at the Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf has reached the stage when the button need only to be pressed and the light will be on. To celebrate the event a party of forty or fifty will go up this afternoon, and at dusk, turn on the lights—after which supper *a la* self-serve will be partaken, and the proceeds used where it will do the most good, either for repairs for the hall or Men's Cottage.

Mr. George Kinkel, of Cleveland, took up his abode at the Home last week. He may later stay permanently.

Herbert Volk, last year a student at Gallaudet, and who in the fall took a course in photography at Battle Creek, Michigan, was here last week. His home is at Grove City, Ohio.

A bill, making it unlawful for any person to misrepresent himself as blind, deaf and dumb, or crippled, is before the lower house of the Legislature and is in charge of representative Beetham of Harrison County. He will, no doubt, see that it is passed, for he was stung by a deaf impostor, who when he found he had been handed only a dime found his voice sufficiently to say, "Gee Whiz, Mister, that all you're gonna gimme?"

William G. Wren, claiming to have been educated in the Indiana School for the Deaf, is in Columbus selling paring knives.

A. B. G.

# WASHINGTON.

The meeting of the National Literary Society on March 4th was unusually well attended, there being several visitors present in addition to nearly every member. Mr. A. F. Adams gave a lecture on the causes of and the responsibilities of the great war. As usual, Mr. Adams' lecture gave evidence of careful preparation, and was both interesting and instructive. Next came a debate on the merits of the proposed Ship Purchase Bill, in which Messrs. Bernsdorf and Marchman and Misses King and Edington participated. Each debater ably argued the merits of his or her side of the question, but in the absence of judges the audience was left to decide for itself whether the Bill was meritorious or otherwise. A laughable dialogue, pronounced by some to be the best given for a long time, followed, with Messrs. Stewart, Pfunder and Patterson as the participants. The literary program was brought to a close by a a well-signed poem, Longfellow's "Psalm of Life," by Mrs. Harrison. At the next meeting of the Society, on April 1st, Dr. Fay of Gallaudet College is expected to give a lecture.

After the meeting a collection for the benefit of the deaf war sufferers was taken.

In our last letter, as printed, we noticed a slight mistake. In the account of the confirmation service in Trinity Church, it is stated that the candidates were presented by Rev. Mr. Merrill and Dr. Hall. The presentation was by Mr. Merrill. The service was interpreted into signs partly by Mr. Merrill and partly by Dr. Hall; the latter, of course, had nothing to do with presenting the candidates.

Mrs. Marshall entertained Mesdames Moore and Wilson at dinner, on the 2d instant, in celebration of her own birthday. Mrs. Marshall has the reputation of being a good cook, and any one should be glad of a chance to sample the products of her culinary skill. Perhaps she will invite us to do it one of these days, as a reward for this compliment.

Washington Division, No. 46, of the N. F. S. D., held its regular monthly meeting on the 12th inst. Three novitiates went through the initiation rites and an application for admission was received. This Division is growing slowly but steadily, and now has about twenty-five members.

It is said that the disturbance caused by the war in Europe have caused the storks in Germany and elsewhere to forsake their customary nesting places. Perhaps some of them will come over to our country At any rate, one of them left a fine girl baby with Mr. and Mrs John R. Courtney, about a month ago, and it is reported that another was in the vicinity of the Farm Cottage on Kendall Green early last Sunday morning.

Mr Hunter S. Edington is acquiring quite a reputation as a detective—a detective who detects in fact, not a mythical personage like Sherlock Holmes whose exploits were all on paper. The other afternoon Mr. Edington noticed that something was wrong with his flock of hens, and found one of his best hens missing. He immediately set his detective instincts to work. A huckster had been in the neighborhood a short time previously. Putting two and two together, Mr. Edington started to trail that huckster. He at last caught up with him. No, the huckster had no chickens and denied having been in the vicinity of the Edington place, but Mr. Edington found a hen—his hen—hidden inside the wagon, which the huckster was willing to sell for a dollar. Mr. Edington got his hen, but the huckster did not get the dollar, and will be lucky if he does not have to pay several dollars into the coffers of the District Police Department.

The Rev. C. O. Dantzer, pastor of All Souls' Church for the Deaf in Philadelphia, was in the city Saturday and Sunday, as the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Merrill. He arrived about noon Saturday and spent the afternoon in visiting the National Cathedral and some of his old haunts on Kendall Green. In the evening, he attended the play given by the Saturday Night Dramatic Club, in the college chapel, but was obliged to leave at the end of the second act, in order to attend the meeting of the Local Division of the N. F. S. D.

On Sunday morning, the Rev. Mr. Dantzer preached at the service for the deaf, in the Trinity Parish Hall, taking for his subject "Temptation." The sermon was interesting and highly appreciated by every person in the congregation, who will be glad to have Mr. Dantzer come again. Mr. Dantzer left for Baltimore shortly after the conclusion of the service, to officiate at a service in that city in the afternoon.

The Rev Mr. Merrill announces that at the Lenten services in Trinity Chapel on Tuesday evenings, the sermons and addresses would be varied with readings of short, interesting, stories, and cordially invites all the deaf to attend these services.

Quite a number of the deaf of the city attended the melodrama, "Followed by Fate," given in the College Chapel by the male students of Gallaudet College. The local newspapers contained notices of the play, most of which were complimentary, although one or two writers tried to be "funny."

Judging from what we are told concering labor and financial conditions in other cities, the deaf of Washington are very fortunate. While many deaf men and women elsewhere are out of work, or working only part of the time, and some are in distress, practically all of the working deaf here continue to have steady employment, and there is little or no distress among them, for which we are truly thankful. But, just the same, we would hardly advise any one to come to Washington at the present in search of work. Indications seem to be that both financial and labor conditions will soon improve all over the country, and it is quite likely that, after the European war is over, we will have an era of unprecedented prosperity. Hoping you will.

HOOT MON.

### A New Job for Deaf Man.

Rev. E C. Wyand, Keedysville, Md., has been delivering a series of historical lectures before an audience composed of the pupils of the Keedysville Grammar and High School:

While teaching in Maryland School for the Deaf, he took a post-graduate course in History and Archæology under Dr. Hotchkiss, at Gallaudet, and was rewarded with the degree of M. A.

He has taken a keen interest in the Sunday School and Church services in one of the churches at Keedysville, in which he was brought up. Whenever present at the Sunday School, which is one of the largest in the country, he has been requested to teach one of the Advanced Bible Classes. In the absence of the regular pastor he has been called repeatedly to fill the pulpit, and when he does the congregation is always larger.

At the Staunton Convention, last July, Rev. Mr. Wyand was forced to use signs instead of speaking, because there was more racket out in the hall and corridor than if a tribe of heathens were encamped out there. Some blow to Oralism, that, proof sure of its impracticability.

Prof. Driggs, it is said, got warm in the collar over the incidents and came near spilling. He used to coach Wyand in quacking at Gallaudet. He went after him with all fours and told him he smiled too much, demanded that he looked more pugnacious, and persist in speaking when he took the floor again.

If a person, like Mr. Wyand, who became deaf in adult life, after special training in public speaking, and subsequently had years of instruction under the best teachers that Northampton has turned out, failed to make himself heard and understood, and that at a meeting of instructors of the deaf, most of whom were oral fanatics, what can be expected of the born deaf oralist who never heard a word in his life, nor had any idea of what the existing circumstances, speaking before an audience of persons unacquainted with the deaf?

Following the Cleveland N. A. D. Convention, Rev. Mr. Wyand went to Massillon and Canton, O., where he was the principal speaker at the Weyandt-Putman reunion. On Sunday he spoke at the regular M. E. Church services to a congregation that packed the edifice. A news item written by a person who had never seen the speaker before said: "The thing I can't understand about the Rev. Wyand is how he controls his voice, never once during his long address at the Saturday reunion or during the address at church, yesterday, did he get too high or too low, like all the deaf who speak. No one present would have suspected him of being deaf, if the fact had not been made known by the speaker himself."

In his preliminary remarks, the speaker explained that his voice might not be understood, because he had been deaf a long while, and that instructions in mechanical speech had at one time almost ruined his natural flow of words.

### HELEN KELLER ILL.

AUSTIN, TEX., March 10.—Dr. J. S. Wooten, the attending physician of Miss Helen Keller, who became ill yesterday and was taken to a local infirmary, said to-night that she is suffering from an acute cold and bronchitis. There are no symptoms of pneumonia, he said, and her condition is not serious.

# PHILADELPHIA.

News items for this column should be sent to James S. Reider, 1538 North Dover Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

On February 22d, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Sanders gave a Neighborhood Party, to surprise Mrs. Persis S. Bowden for her birthday. The affair was so carefully managed that Mrs. Bowden was completely surprised.

Some new and very amusing games, which all seemed to enjoy, were played, after which refreshments were served.

Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. C. O. Dantzer, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Ziegler, Mrs. M. Syle, Mrs. Viola King, Misses McKinney, Bowden, Reidy, D. and M. Sanders and Messrs. Roach and McGhee.

The Clerc Literary Association held its quarterly business meeting on Thursday evening, the 11th of March.

A social evening was enjoyed by the members of the Philadelphia Local Branch, P. S. A. D., on Saturday evening, March 13th.

The Rev. C. O. Dantzer left for Washington, D. C., on Friday, 12th inst., and assisted the Rev. H. C. Merrill at the Sunday morning service, preaching the sermon. At 3 P.M. he preached in Grace Church, Baltimore, Md., and at 8 P.M. lectured. The senior lay-reader read service at All Souls' in the Pastor's absence.

Mr. James M. Williams, of Reading, Pa., spent Sunday, the fourteenth, in Philadelphia, as the guest of Mr. William L. Davis.

On the thirteenth of this month the All Souls' First Basket-Ball team failed to check the rush of the strong Rockland Reserves, and in a rough but exciting game at the former's gymnasium, the visitors won by the score of 19 to 13; we would have more shots for the basket than the visitors, but our shootings went very wide. Fremiel's foul goals showed very poor, having shot only 5 of them out of 23 chances. The first half ended with the score 9 to 7, in the visitors' favor.

In the second half the All Souls' reputation as being a twenty-minute-half club, grew right into evidence as soon as the ball was tossed into the air. They seemingly were all in, for the visitors plunging into the fray, played all around the All Souls', scoring three field goals to the home team's one, and by steady playing hard throughout the game the All Souls' failed to overscore the the visitors and the game ended.

| All Souls' | pos. | Rockland Reserves |
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| Fremiel | forward | Gallagher |
| Garlick | " | Mc Cassey |
| Dunlap | centre | Gorman |
| Thomas | guard | Mc Collough |
| Kutzer | " | Mahoney |

Field goals—Fremiel, 3; Kutzer, 1; Gallagher, 1; McCassey, 4; Mc Collough, 1. Foul goals—Fremiel, 5; Gallagher, 7. Referee McGhee.

The All Souls' Second team got badly beaten by the Rockland Reserves Second team by the score of 34 to 11.

The All Souls' First and Second teams will line up against the Cavalry Basket-Ball teams on Friday evening, March 19th. Come and witness a game before the closing season. We have two more games yet to play.

Mr. Paul Fauth, of York, Pa., is on his way to California. He was last heard from by a friend in this city about a week ago, when in Davenport, Iowa. He expects to be absent from home for about three weeks.

Rabbi Max Klein lectured before the Beth Israel Association of the Deaf, on "Duty," on Sunday afternoon, March 14th. Miss Rose Silnutzer interpreted the lecture in the sign language. The Association will have a tableau by Miss Levy next Sunday, 21st inst.

Remember the theatrical entertainment at All Souls' Parish House next Saturday evening, March 20th. A religious play, entitled "Everyman," will be given. Admission, fifteen cents.

The Rite of Confirmation will be administered by Bishop Rhinelander, at All Souls' Church, next Sunday afternoon, 21st of March. There will also be a morning service with Holy Communion on that day. Bring your hearing friends along, as the Bishop will preach.

Mr. Robert W. Dailey, who left here some years ago to work in the Steelton Mills, has returned to the city. He had been out of employment for about six months, and now is employed as a gardener on Franklin Square. He visited All Souls' Church for the first time on Sunday, and was delighted to see it and to renew old acquaintances.

Mr. Hylande McGrath, a former pupil of the Bala Oral School, was another visitor at All Souls' on Sunday.

Mr. William H. Lipsett gave the inmates of the Home at Doylestown, Pa., a talk on Sunday, 14th inst. Next Sunday, 21st, he will go to Wilmington, Del., to read service to the deaf in St. Andrew's Church.

The Philadelphia *Record*, on March 5th, contained about a half column reprint of Meagher literature on impostors.

In a recent article in the *Ledger* on Panama Statuary, illustrations of masterpieces of the Sculptor's art used to decorate the Panama Exposition are given, and the group by Douglas Tilden, representing "modern civilization," is given prominent notice.

In a series of articles on Market Streets's Place in Annals of Philadelphia, published in succeeding Sunday issues of the Public *Ledger*, the following, which is of historic interest, appeared on March 7th, as part of the XXIV Article by Joseph Jackson:

FIRST ASYLUM FOR DUMB.

Until two years ago, when a moving picture theatre was erected on the site, there stood at 1636 Market Street the building in which the first asylum for the deaf and dumb was opened in this State, and the third institution of the kind in the United States. This was a three and a half story brick structure, with a store on the ground floor. In the early years of the last century it was occupied by David G. Seixas as a store for the sale of crockery and queensware. Seixas was a son of the Rev. Gershom Mendes Seixas, the first minister of the Mickve Israel Synagogue.

The old directories of the city give only a slight clue to the location of the store, for they describe Seixas as living on High Street above Schuylkill 7th, or 16th Street. About the year 1819 this remarkable man was so deeply impressed with the helplessness and sad condition of deaf and dumb children whom he chanced to see in his walks about the city, that he began the foundation of a school where they should be taught, as far as their capabilities permitted teaching.

He was somewhat assisted in propagating his novel idea by the fact that there were before the public two plays founded upon the condition of the deaf and dumb. One of these plays was a translation from Kotzebue, made by Smith, and another made by Dunlap, and an original play by Mr. Clerc, the superintendent of the Hartford Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. The latter had been presented at the old Chestnut Street Theatre and was published in 1818.

Seixas was a man in humble circumstances, but he persisted in ventilating his opinion, and the result was that the small school, which he fitted up in his own house, attracted his attention of the philanthropic, and they came to his assistance. It appears that the school was carried on there only a short time, and then was transferred to the hotel building at 11th and Market Streets, as already has been mentioned about 1820, and came about from a conference which the the founder had with persons of prominence, who had become interested in his work. They formed an organization, which was taken up by the State, and the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb came into existence.

### "HELP!"

COMMITTEE: Edwin A. Hodgson, Rev. M. R. McCarthy, S. J., Rev. John H. Keiser, Mrs. Isaac Goldberg, Mrs. Moses Heyman, Mrs. John H. Keiser, Mrs. Wm. Lipgens.

BULLETIN NO. 12.

In response to Miss Yvonne Pitrois' cry for help for the war-stricken Belgian Deaf, who are in need of food and clothing, the following has been contributed and sent to the undersigned:—

(Send contributions to Edwin A. Hodgson, Editor DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, P. O. Station M, New York City.)

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| Previously reported | $612 71 |
| Christian Endeavor Society of the Deaf Department of the Florida School (through President A. H. Walker) | 5 00 |
| Katherine Keefe, De Bruce, N. Y. | 1 00 |
| New Orleans Div. 33, N. F. S. D. | 70 |
| Grand Total | $619 41 |

EDWIN A. HODGSON.

### St. Andrew's Silent Mission.

Trinity Church, Copley Square, Boston, Mass.

Rev. G. H. Heffion. Messrs. E. W. Frisbee and A. S. Tuft, Lay Readers.

MARCH, 1915.

21—Boston, at 11 A.M., and Lynn, at 3 P.M., Mr. Frisbee.
21—New England Home for Aged Deaf-Mutes at 2:30 P.M., Mr. Tufts.
25—New England Home for Aged Deaf-Mutes, 3 P.M., Mr. Frisbee
28—Palm Sunday, Boston, at 11 A.M., and Worcester at 3:3 P.M., Rev. Mr. Heffion; Providence, at 3 P.M., Mr. Frisbee.

Special services by Rev. J. H. Keiser, of New York, and Rev. Mr. Heffion:

30—Worcester, Tuesday, at 8 P.M.
31—New England Home for Aged Deaf-Mutes, at 3 P.M.
Boston, Wednesday, at 8 P.M.

APRIL.

1—Providence, at 8 P.M.

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### St. Thomas Mission for the Deaf

Christ Church Cathedral, Thirteenth and Locust Streets, St. Louis, Mo.

The Rev. James H. Cloud, M.A., D.D., Priest-in-Charge.
Mr. A. O. Steidemann, Lay Reader.
Miss Clara L. Steidemann, Sunday School Teacher and Social Helper.
Sunday School at 9:30 A.M.
Sunday Services at 10:45 A.M.
Weekday social and literary meetings on first and third Fridays, at 8 P.M.
Other services and meetings by special appointment.
The deaf cordially invited.
Minister's address: 2606 Virginia Avenue.

# FANWOOD.

Professor Elwood L. Stevenson lectured before the Fanwood Literary Association Saturday evening, using the life and writings of Alfred Tennyson as the topic of his talk. Prof. Stevenson was without doubt at his best, gracing the platform with his usual vivid "sigu-ology," describing in general the great poet's home-life and customs, beginning with his early struggles and later fame. He followed this in a dramatic recitation of "Enoch Arden," one of Tennyson's chief and most loved poems. The conclusion wound up with a tribute of honor, after which Prof. Stevenson gave the current events.

The following clipping, from the *Arkansas Optic*, comes like an omen of prosperity for our old friend and schoolmate, Frank Lux :—

AN UNCOMMON HONOR.

A rare distinction came to Mr. Frank Lux, our athletic instructor and drill master. Last week he was selected to act as referee in the State basket-ball tournament at Crossett. He accepted the proffer and made good, as all his friends expected.

As far as we know this is the first instance of a deaf athlete's officiating in a State tournament of any kind, and is as much a tribute to Mr. Lux's reputation for fairness and knowledge of the fine points of the game as to his expertness as a player; and it should be said in this game he is hardly equalled by any in the State, though the game is as well played in Arkansas as in any State. Frank is in great demand as a player on the best amateur teams and almost invariably is mentioned as a phenomenon.

Mr. Lux was the first of the "Fanwood Drill Masters" to be employed outside of his own State in that capacity, and has certainly made good. Since he has been here the standard of athletics has been notably raised, and though we have only a small number of large boys, the various teams are counted among the most formidable of the school class.

A try-out in base-ball during the the past week was met with the most promising success. Candidates for the Fanwood teams will be selected soon, and with the month of April be organized and a prepared schedude arranged for the 1915 season. In spite of the long rest a little practice soon gets the cadets into their old-time form.

With next Saturday basket-ball games the season will close, after a most successful year.

The teams can boast with genuine pride of having played like champions this season, the long string of victories being practically unmarred by more than a couple of defeats. The glorious triumph spirit that has built up the strong and fine team-work of the gold and blue has been unrivalled and will remain so for some time. It is only when home teams clash that one recognizes the great essential in this. There is seldom a harder or more clever fought game than when cadet faces cadet. Mr Enoch G. Margraf, as manager, has been doing some lively business this year, and to his careful directions we owe our thanks.

When one feels inclined; when the atmosphere is a hankering to put us in that mood; leap-frog, racing, wrestling and other out-door boys' sports, are played with geninue delight.

Our only regret is perhaps that there was very little coasting this year compared with former years. Blame or bless the weather?

Monday saw the printed pages of the Annual Report carefully packed away and sent to the bindery to be made into book form. It contains a number of new surprises for its readers this May.

The Provisional Company of the Institution competes, on April 24th, in a grand military tournament. Further particulars later. Morning drills still continue to occupy a period of strict military discipline.

The Band and Company C made a successful showing at the Grand Central Palace, Made in America Exposition, Friday evening. The Band rendered musical selections, while the little cadets entertained with a clever exhibition of intricate marching manœuvres, Butts' Rifle and Physical drill and the Manual of Arms. They were greeted with a din of praise from the many admiring spectators.

Changes in the battalion have been exceedingly pleasing to Cadet Lieutenant Burke, who has been promoted to Captain of Company B; Cadet First Sergeant Sandy J. Guinta succeeds him as lieutenant of A Company; Cadet First Sergeant Reuben Pois as lieutenant of B Company; and Cadet Sergeants Fanelli and Herdtfelder, have been been promoted First Sergeants respectively. Company C is proud of their record, as being one of the best, and also the best drilled Company of the year.

Mr. Egerton L. Winthrop, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors, had a brief interview with Principal Currier Monday afternoon. Before leaving he was escorted on a short tour of inspection.

The shield that was recently won by Company C in competition at the Armory of the 71st Regiment, has reached the Institution with the small brass plate for the winning company engraved : "Won by Company C."

It is a handsome trophy of hammered copper bronze on a background, or base, of quartered oak. Centrally and most prominently is the figure of a soldier, with his rifle at "port arms," standing within a wreathed circle of scroll design. Beneath this is a raised oval plate with scroll border, in the center of which is embedded the red, white and blue Regimental Pin of the 71st Infantry. This pin is shaped like a Geneva cross, edged with gold, and in golden letters is inscribed the motto of the regiment in Latin, the English equivalent of which is "For our Homes and Firesides." Above and below on this plate is chased: "Presented by Companies E and H, 71st Inf. N. G. N. Y." At the apex of the shield, on a crescent-shaped slab of bronze, stands out boldly in raised letters : "The N. Y. Inst. I. D. D." The whole forms an artistic conception of intrepid strength and steadfast protection.

### Rev. B. R. Allabough's Appointments

(11825 Detroit Ave., Lakewood, Ohio.)

MID-WESTERN DEAF-MUTE MISSION.

Dioceses : Pittsburg, Ohio, Southern Ohio, Indianapolis, Michigan, Western Michigan, Lexington, Kentucky.

St. Margaret's Mission—Trinity Episcopal Church, Sixth Avenue, Pittsburg. Mr. F. A. Leitner, Lay Reader. Bible Class, 7:45 P.M. every Thursday.

St. Philip's Mission in the Beaver Valley, Pa. Mr. Collins S. Sawhill, Lay Reader. Services once a month, subject to notice.

All Saints' Mission—Trinity Church, cor. Third and Broad Streets, Columbus, Ohio. Messrs. C. W. Charles and A. H. Schory, Lay Readers. Services, 10:30 A.M. every Sunday.

St Mark's Mission, St. Paul's Cathedral, cor. 7th and Plum Streets, Cincinnati. Mr. C. W. Charles, Lay Reader. Services, 3 P.M., fourth Sunday of the month. Mr. Charles comes when Rev. Mr. Allabough goes to Columbus.

St. Clement's Mission, Dayton, Christ Episcopal Church, Mr. C. W. Charles, Lay Reader. Services once a month, subject to notice.

Calvary Mission, All Saints' Episcopal Church, Portsmouth, O., Mr. Wm. Cooper, Lay Reader. Services, 2:30 P.M., third Sunday of the manth.

Ephphatha Mission, St. John's Episcopal Church, Woodward Avenue and High Street, Detroit, Mich., Mr. H. B. Waters, Lay Reader. Services, 7:30 P.M., every Sunday except when Rev. Mr. Allabough comes by appointment.

Ascension and St. Bede Missions, Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids respectively, Mr. M. M. Taylor, Lay Reader. Services by appointment.

All Souls' Mission, Christ Church Cathedral, Louisville, Ky., Mr. John H. Mueller, Lay Reader. Services and Bible Class alternately every Sunday at 2:30 P.M.

St. Agnes' Mission, Grace Episcopal Church, Bolivar Road and Prospect Aveune, Cleveland, O., Mr. Wm. F. Durian, Lay Reader. Rev. Mr. Allabough visits this Mission regularly the first Sunday of each month, unless otherwise arranged. (10:45 P.M. Holy Communion and 3 P.M.

MARCH.

20—Ann Arbor, 7:30 P.M. (Baptism.)
21—Ann Arbor, 10:30 A.M. (Confirmation) Jackson, 8:00 P.M. Kalamazoo, 7:45 P.M.
22—Kalamazoo, (Calling.)
23—Battle Creek, 7:30 P.M.
24—Lansing, 7:30 P.M.
25—Grand Rapids, 7:30 P.M.
26—Flint, (Calling.)
27—Flint, 7:30 P.M.
28—Detroit, 10:30 A.M. (Holy Communion); 2:30 P.M. (Bible Class); 7:00 P.M. (Confirmation); 7:30 P.M (Preaching).

LAY READERS.

21—John town, Pa., 2:30 P.M., by Mr. Sawhill.
21—Ypsilanti, Mich., 2:30 P.M., by Mr. Waters.
28—Canton, O., 2:30 P.M., by Mr. Durian

### Sophia Fowler Gallaudet.

FUND FOR A MEMORIAL TABLET BEING RAISED BY DEAF LADIES OF THE UNITED STATES.

We, the undersigned ladies, wishing to give our cordial approval of the proposition of Mrs. Susie Benedict Bryant, to mark by an enduring memorial the early home of Mrs. Sophia Fowler Gallaudet, wife of Rev. Thomas H. Gallaudet and mother of Dr. E. M. Gallaudet, do here subscribe the sum opposite our names, for the placing of a bronze tablet on a granite boulder at the gate of the homestead near Guilford, Ct., therein commemorating the virtues of a wife and mother who gave the deaf the Gallaudet sons, and thus mark a historic spot.

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| Previously acknowledged.. . . . . | $58 05 |
| Miss E. D. Johnson, of Devils Lake, N. D. . . . . | 1 00 |
| Miss Susan McKinney, of Philadelphia . . . . . | 25 |
| Total to date . . . . . | $59 30 |

JEANARTTE W. HEYMAN,
*Treasurer.*

### Baltimore Methodist Deaf-Mute Mission.

Rev. D. E. Moylan, *Pastor*, 740 W. Fayette Street.
Rev. J. A. Branflick *Assistant*, 2704 Bernard Street.

Services at Christ M. E. Church for the Deaf, Pierce Street, corner of Schroeder Street, every Sunday at 3:30 P.M. Sunday School at 2:30 P.M. Week day meetings every Thursday evening at eight o'clock, except during July and August. Holy Communion first Sunday each month. Everybody welcome.

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ARTHUR BOLL, *Pastor.*

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Incorporated, Feb. 23, 1900.

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### OFFICIAL.

(Treasurer's Report covering the period from September 1, 1914 to March 1, 1925.)

RECEIPTS.

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| Cash on hand Sept. 1, 1914 . . . . | 577 67 |
| Rev. B. R. Allabough for "Proceedings" . . . . . | 50 |
| Interest on bank deposits . . . . . | 4 21 |
| Rudy Studt for "Proceedings" . . | 10 |
| Membership fees . . . . . | 67 00 |
| Annual dues . . . . . | 47 00 |
| Total . . . . . | $696 48 |

EXPENDITURES

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|---|---|
| Missouri Inter-State Paper Co., paper for Secretary . . . . . | 6 22 |
| Buff and Blue, for printing annual due notices . . . . . | 1 25 |
| Paper and carbons for Treasurer . | 1 70 |
| Kreigh Ayers mimeography for Civil Service Commission . . | 11 00 |
| Pres. Howard for Card Index Cabinet, etc. . . . . | 10 00 |
| Postage for Treasurer . . . . . | 2 00 |
| Gibson Bros. Printing and Postage | 1 10 |
| Secretary for Postage . . . . . | 16 50 |
| Missouri Inter-State Paper Co., Paper and Envelopes . . . . | 16 56 |
| A. L. Hurt Expenses in Nebraska fight . . . . . | 25 00 |
| Ditto . . . . . | 150 00 |
| Total . . . . . | $241 33 |
| Cash on hand March 1st, 1915 . . | $455 15 |

H. D. DRAKE.
*Treasurer.*

### DE L'EPEE MEMORIAL STATUE

REPORT No. 11.

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| Previously acknowledged in the JOURNAL of March 4, 1915 | $1,134 38 |

Following list received from Mr. P. E. Seeley, State Agent for Nebraska, January 25, 1915. Through C. P. Jensen, $6.25.

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|---|---|
| P. Refshange . . . . . | 1 00 |
| C. A. Necker . . . . . | 25 |
| F. A. Carlson . . . . . | 50 |
| F. I. Wallin . . . . . | 50 |
| O. A. Branling . . . . . | 50 |
| A. Blonquist . . . . . | 50 |
| G. C. Grosvenor. . . . . | 50 |
| H. G. Carpenter. . . . . | 50 |
| A. J. Bragg . . . . . | 50 |
| M and C . . . . . | 50 |
| C. A Parson. . . . . | 25 |
| A. H. Ostuman . . . . . | 25 |
| G. W. Randolph . . . . . | 25 |
| C. T. Hill. . . . . | 25 |

Following list received from Mr. W. A. Nelson, State agent for Iowa, January 25, 1915. Through W. C. DeArmend, collector for Des Moines, $5.75.

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|---|---|
| Peter Schat . . . . . | 50 |
| Ross Koons . . . . . | 50 |
| Banson H. Arch . . . . . | 50 |
| Elmer Snell. . . . . | 25 |
| Clyde T. Haglet . . . . . | 50 |
| Elmer Peterson . . . . . | 25 |
| Mrs. W. C. DeArmend. . . . . | 50 |
| Mr. W. C. DeArmend . . . . . | 50 |
| S. C. Broonenberg. . . . . | 25 |
| Will A. S. Bentley . . . . . | 25 |
| H. G. Bryan. . . . . | 25 |
| J. A. Robinson . . . . . | 25 |
| Pearl Pollock . . . . . | 25 |
| Bertha Waschknosky . . . . . | 25 |
| Mrs. H. G. Bryan . . . . . | 25 |
| Jno. F. Sullivan . . . . . | 25 |

Following listed received from Mr. John A. Roach, State agent for Pennsylvania, February 3, 1915, $16

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|---|---|
| St. Joseph's Catholic Deaf Society, Philadelphia, Pa., . . . | 5 00 |
| Collected at St. Joe Mission for Catholic Deaf Nov. 22 . . . | 1 75 |
| Miss Mary N. Reily . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Mrs. Rose Fisher . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Richard D. Strecker . . . . . | 50 |
| Miss Catherine Galvin . . . . . | 10 |
| Cash . . . . . | 10 |

Through W. DeWitt Himrod, Erie, Pa., $6.55.

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|---|---|
| Mrs. W. DeWitt Himrod . . . . | 1 00 |
| Hattie Offerle . . . . . | 50 |
| Minnie Lueth . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Agnes Greenfield . . . . . | 50 |
| Mrs. E. R. Greenfield . . . . . | 25 |
| E. Greenfield . . . . . | 25 |
| Thedore Arens . . . . . | 25 |
| Belle Offerle . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Lois C. Smith . . . . . | 05 |
| Ovid Cohen . . . . . | 25 |
| Miss Meyer . . . . . | 50 |
| W. D. Himrod . . . . . | 1 00 |

Following list received from Mr. Wm. H. Zorn, State agent for Ohio, Feb. 4, 1915.

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| Mr. Wm. W. Corbett . . . . . | 2 00 |

Following list received from Mr. M. M. Taylor, State agent for Michigan, Feb. 5, 1915. $4.50.

Through Mrs. M. M. Taylor, Kalamazoo, Mich.

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|---|---|
| Mr. and Mrs. F. Adams . . . . . | 25 |
| Ed. S. Parsons . . . . . | 25 |
| Moses J. Graff . . . . . | 25 |
| Jesse D. Barton . . . . . | 25 |
| Norbert Quinn . . . . . | 25 |
| F. H. Wheeler . . . . . | 25 |
| Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Taylor . . . | 1 00 |
| Kalamazoo Division No. 34, N. F. S. D. . . . . | 2 00 |

Following list received from Father McCarty, New York City, Feb. 6, 1915. $68. 20. Mr Philip Morin, State agent for New England, Through Mr. Fritz Ruckdeschel, Collector for Providence, R. I. and vicinity. $25

| | |
|---|---|
| Charles A. Williams . . . . . | 2 00 |
| Charles A. Newberg . . . . . | 2 00 |
| Edw. Vigeant . . . . . | 2 00 |
| Frank J. Wood . . . . . | 5 00 |
| Providence Division No. 43, N. F. S. D. . . . . | 5 00 |
| Edwin G. Hurd . . . . . | 5 00 |
| R. T. Budlong . . . . . | 50 |
| Louis Watt . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Philip Taber . . . . . | 25 |
| Jack Liberman . . . . . | 25 |
| Fritz Ruckdeschel . . . . . | 2 00 |

Through Mr. C. C. Casey, collector for Portland and vicinity, $12.85.

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| Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Casey . . . . | 1 00 |
| Mr. Fred W. Spear . . . . . | 50 |
| Philip Morin . . . . . | 25 |
| Elmer Donnel Fogg . . . . . | 50 |
| Adolph Joseph Fisher . . . . . | 1 00 |
| E. D. Bussiere . . . . . | 25 |
| Carl Bener . . . . . | 10 |
| Chester Woodward . . . . . | 25 |
| Lewis V. Collins . . . . . | 25 |
| Harold Eaton Libby . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Thomas J. Prinn . . . . . | 50 |
| Mrs. L. L. Steward . . . . . | 25 |
| Mr. and Mr. Frank M. Ellis . . . | 50 |
| Mrs. J. F. Dixon . . . . . | 25 |
| Isaac Campbell . . . . . | 50 |
| John D. McPherson . . . . . | 50 |
| Melbourn Downey . . . . . | 50 |
| Mahlon A. Bradbury . . . . . | 50 |
| Mrs. Frances S. Bradbury . . . . | 25 |
| Leon A. Bradbury . . . . . | 25 |
| Edmond Beshace . . . . . | 50 |
| Ernest Morrell . . . . . | 50 |
| Edward Plummer . . . . . | 50 |
| Mr. Wm. O. Kimball . . . . . | 25 |
| Mrs. Wm O. Kimball . . . . . | 25 |
| Miss Melaine Verdon . . . . . | 25 |
| John C. Jellison . . . . . | 25 |
| Edna H. Jellison . . . . . | 25 |
| Thomas Quirion, Jr . . . . . | 25 |
| Alfred Skidmore . . . . . | 25 |
| Elmer D. Fogg . . . . . | 25 |
| Mrs. Cordelia F. Kane . . . . . | 25 |

Through Mr. David Quinn, collector for Boston and vicinity, $11

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| Mr. and Mrs. O. Fecteau . . . . | 1 00 |
| Michael J. Griffin . . . . . | 50 |
| Ed. A. McCormick . . . . . | 50 |
| M. J. Gaines . . . . . | 50 |
| Ed. A. McEntees . . . . . | 50 |
| John E. Monohan . . . . . | 50 |
| J. J. Powell . . . . . | 50 |
| Bart J. Marra . . . . . | 25 |
| Mr. and Mrs. Cheevers . . . . . | 25 |
| Mr. Alfred E. Jolly . . . . . | 50 |
| Geo. F. Bingham . . . . . | 25 |
| Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rock . . . . | 25 |
| Thos. O'Malley . . . . . | 1 00 |
| J. J. Cahalan . . . . . | 50 |
| Chas. F. McCarthy . . . . . | 25 |
| Fred. Conley . . . . . | 50 |
| James A. Wall . . . . . | 50 |
| Mr. and Mrs. D. Quinn . . . . . | 1 00 |
| David T. Murray . . . . . | 50 |
| Ed. G. Smith . . . . . | 50 |
| F. D. Williams . . . . . | 50 |
| Mr. and Mrs. M. Reish . . . . . | 25 |

Through Arthur J. Myers, Providence, R. I., and vicinity, $7.

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| Earl F. Gardiner . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Clarence H. Cheevers . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Wm. H. Mudrak . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Frederick Mitchell . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Nellie Green . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Arthur J. Myers . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Chester A. Collins . . . . . | 50 |
| Adolard F. Paduin . . . . . | 50 |

Through Thos. Kane, collector for Worcester, and vicinity, $2.35.

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|---|---|
| Wm. H. Gill . . . . . | 50 |
| Katherine E. Fox . . . . . | 25 |
| Emil H. Cole . . . . . | 25 |
| Clifford Carson . . . . . | 25 |
| Dennis Falvey . . . . . | 25 |
| E. G. Chute . . . . . | 25 |
| Germaine Beauchenin . . . . . | 19 |
| Evan R. Scott . . . . . | 25 |
| Helen F. Head . . . . . | 25 |

Through J. B. McMahon.

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| Lowell Council No. 10, Knights of DeL'Epee . . . . . | 10 00 |

Following list received from Fred. W. Schoneman, State agent for Ill., Feb. 15, 1915, $12.50.

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| Fred. W. Schoneman . . . . . | 2 50 |
| Pas-A-Pas Club, Chicago, Ill. . . | 10 00 |

Following list received from Mrs. L. W. Hodgman, State agent for Minnesota, Feb. 23, 1915.

Through Mrs. Wm. Ochs, New Ulm, Minn., $1.75.

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| O. P. Highberg . . . . . | 50 |
| Wm. Epper . . . . . | 50 |
| Aug. Bureske . . . . . | 25 |
| Joseph Holm . . . . . | 50 |

Through Gustav Kvittein, Owatoona, Minn. . . . . 3 60

Through Clara Ellestad, Spring Grove, Minn., $11.00

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|---|---|
| Otto Vaaley . . . . . | 25 |
| J. Helland . . . . . | 25 |
| O. Hoegh . . . . . | 25 |
| C. Newhouse . . . . . | 25 |
| M. K. Onsyard . . . . . | 25 |
| A. E. Vick . . . . . | 25 |
| N. H. Rank . . . . . | 25 |
| Schansberg Bros . . . . . | 50 |
| Otto Evenson . . . . . | 25 |
| Ole B. Veum . . . . . | 25 |
| G. G. Ristey . . . . . | 25 |
| A. Amunrond . . . . . | 25 |
| S. Amunrond . . . . . | 25 |
| O. K. Bagley . . . . . | 50 |
| C. M. Onsyard . . . . . | 25 |
| Oliver Nohre . . . . . | 25 |
| Mrs. Ole Hagen . . . . . | 25 |
| Mrs. Peter Halje . . . . . | 25 |
| Mrs. K. Guttsomen . . . . . | 50 |
| Olava Guttsomen . . . . . | 25 |
| Mr. Gerhard Ellestad . . . . . | 25 |
| Clara Ellestad . . . . . | 1 00 |
| Mrs. E. H. Ellestad . . . . . | 50 |
| Lizzie Walhus . . . . . | 50 |
| Carl Ellestad . . . . . | 50 |
| C. D. Anderson . . . . . | 50 |
| Henry Appeal . . . . . | 50 |
| Genora Garnes . . . . . | 50 |
| O. L. Christopherson . . . . . | 25 |
| Mrs. Christ B. Veum . . . . . | 25 |
| Henry Ellestad . . . . . | 25 |
| Steiner Renrsen . . . . . | 25 |
| Grand Total . . . . . | $1,265 93 |

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Mr. Samuel M. De Young suddenly died at home in Rochester, N. Y., after his work time, Wednesday, January 27th, at 7 P.M. The funeral was held in Mount Hope Cemetery Chapel, on the first of February, 1915, at 10 A.M. Rev. Ed. Hart was not able to hold the service on account of his illness. Prof. Z. F. Westervelt, of the Western New York School for the Deaf, conducted the service. The casket was put into the vault of the chapel till Spring. The pall-bearers were P. Kimmel, Sam Bliss, C Peterson, C. D. Gibbs, Wm. Gibbs and E. P. Wood. Mr. De Young is survived by his wife, (formerly Miss Hart,) four daughters, one brother and four sisters. He was born in Philadelphia, February 25th, 1846, but he passed most of his life in Rochester, N. Y. We miss him much because he was always very entertaining. The friends of Mrs. De Young extend sincere sympathy.

A surprise party was tendered to Mrs. Jennie Gordon, in Auburn, N. Y., on Friday evening, February 19th, the occasion being her birthday. One of the parties fooled her nicely, without her suspicions, and they both went away till 8:30 P.M, and on their return found a room full of friends awaiting her arrival. The party was gotten up by Mike Chapman and Mrs. L. Brown. Refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cakes, were bountifully served.

There was a guessing contest as to the number of beans in a bottle. Mr. Frank Chapman was the nearest guesser. Mr. Davidson won a fine pen for touching nearest a marked spot. A very delightful evening was spent.

The parties present were : Mr. and Mrs. F. Chapman, Lizzie Chapman, Mrs. Dolan Miss Kitty Dolan, Mrs. Lillie Hayes, of Savannah, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schouten, of South Butler, N. Y., Mike Chapman, Mrs. L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. Brown, Jennie Gordon, Laura Wallace, Mr. Davidson, all Auburn, N. Y., and E. P. Wood, of Rochester, N. Y. The next day Mike Chapman went to Oswego to attend the surprise party for Mr. La Londe in the evening.

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2. Presentation Week at Gallaudet College, showing panorama of Gallaudet College, Presentation Day, and Class Day. Length 460 feet and was made in May, 1911.
3. Extracts from addresses by Mr. R. P. MacGregor, including : "The Irishman and the Flea" and "The Queen and the Cake." Length 200 feet and was made in Chicago in December, 1912.
4. Emperor Dom Pedro's visit to Gallaudet College. By Dr. Edward Allen Fay Length 1,000 feet. Made in Washington, D. C., in June, 1913.
5. The Universal Brotherhood of Man and Fatherhood of God. A lay-sermon by Mr. R. P. MacGregor. Made in Washington, D. C,, in July, 1913. Length 1,000 feet.
6. Memories of Old Hartford. By Dr. John B. Hotchkiss. Length about 1,100 feet and made in Washington, D. C., in July, 1913.
7. The Escape of Abbe Sicard. By Dr James L. Smith. Length 415 feet. Made in Chicago, in July, 1913.
8. The Preservation of the Sign Language. By George William Veditz. This was taken at the Cleveland Convention of the N. A. D., in August, 1913, and is about 1,000 feet long.
9. A Memorial Address at the tomb of Garfield. By Mr. Willis Hubbard. This film shows a good view of the tomb with several hundred delgates to the Cleveland Convention in the foreground. Length about 800 feet. Made in August, 1912.
10. The Death of Minnehaha. By Mrs. Mary Williamson Erd. Introduction by Mr. Jay C. Howard. Length 1,050 feet. This film was made during the Cleveland Convention. The photographing wasdone on the estate of Mr. John D. Rockefeller by special permissi of Mr. Rockefeller.
11. A Plea for a Statue of De l'Epee in America. By Rev. Mr. Cloud and Father McCarthy. This film was also made in Cleveland during the N. A. D. convention. 400 feet long.
12. Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf, at Staunton, Va., in July, 1914. This film shows a group picture of the delegates, also thirty-three superintendents of State schools for the Deaf, taken in small groups. It is about 400 feet long and very interesting.
13. Signs and Signs. By Dr. J. S. Long. Length 400 feet. This film was made in Washington, D C., in July, 1914.
14. The Lord's Prayer. By Rev. Mr. Flick. Length about 60 feet. Made in Chicago.

Other films are being planned. Suggestious concerning whom to select as lecturers, and any suggestions pertaining to the management of the films, will be gladly received

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